



**Federal Law Enforcement Legal Advisor
Conference
June 13 – 15, 2006
Alexandria, Virginia**

The tragic events of September 11, 2001 brought the law enforcement and intelligence communities together unlike at any other time in our nation's history. The threats we face call for a joint, coordinated approach capitalizing on the tools and resources each agency can bring into this battle. We all must help guide our respective agencies through the ever-changing legal landscape in addition to coordinating an effective joint response. This is complicated by the unprecedented reorganization of agencies within the federal government as well as the internal shifting of agency priorities and resources.

In light of this changing environment, the Legal Division at the Federal Law Enforcement Training Center (FLETC), and the Legal Instruction Units for the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) and the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA), invite legal advisors from your agency to attend the Federal Law Enforcement Legal Advisor Training Conference to be held in Alexandria, Virginia from June 13-15, 2006. Many of the officers and agents we train work together in the field on joint task forces or during routine investigations. The purpose of this training conference is to provide a forum for all federal law enforcement agencies involved in the protection of our national security to share knowledge with one another and to address legal issues of interest to us all. At the end of this conference, we hope that attorneys from the agencies represented can leave with a better understanding of how we can better work together and a network for enhanced communication on matters of mutual interest.

Attendance is limited to attorneys within your agency who provide advice or training on operational matters. We encourage you to send attorneys who are deployed throughout the country in direct support of agency operations. Please register online at <http://www.fletc.gov/legal/trainconf.htm>. You may fax your credit card information using the form from our website to pay for the training costs. Based on the size of our meeting space, attendance will be limited to no more than 200 so please register online as soon as possible.

The training will be held at the Crystal City Marriott at Reagan National Airport in Alexandria, Virginia. The hotel has shuttle service to the airport and is next to the Crystal City Metro stop. A number of government rate rooms have been reserved under the name "Federal Legal Advisor Conference." Please book your room directly with the hotel at (703) 413-5500.

A very important part of our agenda calls for agency presentations to familiarize attendees with the myriad of legal issues we jointly face during federal law enforcement operations. There are over 80 agencies from all three branches of government that train agents or officers at FLETC alone. **Therefore, I would appreciate it if you would notify me if you or a member of your staff is willing to make a ten to fifteen minute presentation on the role of your legal staff in agency operational matters, including**

significant legal issues confronting your agency and how you can work together with other federal law enforcement agency legal advisors. You may direct questions or comments to the following individuals.

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All others may contact me directly at the number or address below. I look forward to seeing you there.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Carl Milazzo', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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